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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND, \$3,000,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO., \$7,500,000

CORPORATE DIRECTORS:  
Chairman—O. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq.  
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W. H. FORBES, Esq., J. S. MOSES, Esq.,  
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CHIEF MANAGERS:  
Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.,  
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London, BANKERS, London and Colonial Bank.

### HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, September 20, 1887. 363

## NOTICE.

### THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 2.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$50 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 764

## NOTICES OF FIRMS.

### NOTICE.

MR. RATANJI SORABJI TALATI will sign the Name of our Firm from this date.  
E. N. MEHTA & Co.  
Hongkong, October 1, 1887. 1019

### NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP existing between Mr. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS and Mr. JAMES LYON PLAYFAIR SANDERSON, at Fochow, Canton, Macao and London, under the Style of BIRLEY & Co., EXPIRED on 28th February last through effluxion of time.

Referring to the above Notice, the BUSINESS at Fochow, is being carried on by Mr. JAMES LYON PLAYFAIR SANDERSON, under the Style of SANDERSON & Co.  
Fochow, September, 1887. 1833

### WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)  
WASHING BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. Price, \$1 each.  
CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

## Intimations.

### PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG.

No. 1165.

### Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in the FRIGATE'S HALL, Zealand Street, THIS EVENING, the 17th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. Visiting BRETHREN are cordially INVITED.  
Hongkong, October 17, 1887. 1986

### HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1886.

### SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-

pany are requested to furnish the Underigned with a List of their CONTRACTIONS for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for CONTRAIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the THIRTIETH DAY of NOVEMBER next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers,  
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited.  
Hongkong, October 15, 1887. 2010

### HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

THE Annual General MEETING of the above Society will be held in the CITY HALL, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 18th Instant, at 8 o'clock, to receive the Committee's Report and Statement of Accounts, elect Officers Bearer for the ensuing year and decide concerning the celebration of the forthcoming Anniversary of St. Andrew.

D. H. MACKINTOSH,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 12, 1887. 1909

## WANTED.

### A DUTY QUALIFIED SURGEON for the

Steamship *Alyssina*.  
Apply to  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, October 13, 1887. 2002

### UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteenth Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Society will be held at its Head Office, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 27th Instant, at Half-past Three o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year 1886, and for the half-year ending 30th June, 1887.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 27th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
DOUGLAS JONES,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 11, 1887. 1982

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Underigned at 12 o'clock (noon) on SATURDAY, the 29th October instant.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Agents,  
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, October 8, 1887. 1983

### THE PUNJUM AND SUNGHE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE.

ALL CALLS on the SHARES of the Company due on the 3rd June, 1887, together with INTEREST thereon remaining unpaid, are Required to be PAID forthwith. And further, that if all such CALLS are Not Paid on or before the 31st October instant, the Directors will proceed to FORFEIT the SHARES in respect of which such CALLS are due, in pursuance of the Articles of Association of the Company.  
Dated this 5th October, 1887.  
A. O'D. GOURDIN,  
Secretary.  
1949

### ROBES ET CONFECTIONS

### FRENCH DRESS-MAKER.

### MRS. C. HEYMANS,

35, WELLINGTON STREET,  
HONGKONG.

### THE ONLY FRENCH DRESS-MAKER IN HONGKONG.

DIPLOMA IN PARIS IN 1884.  
Hongkong, October 1, 1887. 1925

### SAILOR'S HOME.

ANY Out-of-Country BOOKS, or Papers, will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1887.

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

### Outfitting Department.

### THE NEW AUTUMN AND WINTER STOCK,

including:—

ANGLO-INDIA GAUZE HOSIERY, AMERICAN CASH TRUNKS, BOOTS for Evening, Walking and Shooting, BRACES in Silk, Cotton, Elastic and Buckskin; Boating, SOARVES and JERSEYS, Bath GOWNS and WRAPPERS, BELTS.

COLLARS in New Shapes, Cricketing SHOES, BELTS, CRAVATS, DRESSING GOWNS, DRAWING GLOVES, DRESSING BAGS, EVENING TIES, SHOES, SHIRTS and SOCKS in the Latest Styles, Evening GLOVES, Elastic BELTS and BRACES.

FOLDING SCARVES, FANCY CUT SHIRTS, Foot-ball JERSEYS and CAPS, FANCY TIES in Newest Shapes and Colorings.

GARTERS, Gladstone BAGS, GAUZE SHIRTS and HOSIERY, GLOVES, JACKETS and VESTS, Cholera, Chills, and Straws; HANDKERCHIEFS, HALF-HOSE and HOSIERY of all kinds.

INDIA GAUZE UNDERCLOTHING, India-Rubber CUSHIONS, PILLOWS, &c. JERSEYS for Tennis, Rowing and Foot-ball; JACKETS (Cardigan), KNITTED STOCKINGS, VESTS, GLOVES and SCARVES.

LINEN Thread HOSIERY, Llama and Lamb's Wool HOSIERY, MERRY SHIRTS, PANTS and HALF-HOSE; MAUDS, MUFFLERS, Military GLOVES.

NATURAL Wool Sanitary UNDERCLOTHING, NOVELTIES, OXFORD SHIRTS made to order, OXFORD SCARVES.

PIN SCARVES, PIN HATS; PORTMANTRUS; PUGGIES, PANTS, ROWING and Running SUNDRIES of all kinds, Rain COATS, RUGS, Rug STRAPS.

SHIRTS in various Kinds and Qualities, Ready-made or to measure; SHOES of all kinds, Shooting STOCKINGS and SUNDRIES, Sun HATS, SWEATERS, Silk HOSIERY, SCARVES, Silk LACES.

TENNIS SHIRTS, JERSEYS, SHOES, SCARVES, HATS, &c.; Wood Travelling CAPS, Travelling RUGS, TOWELS, TIES.

UMBRELLAS with Patent Frames, UMBRELLAS Recovered and Repaired, UNDERCLOTHING of every Description; Uniform CASES, Uniform TIES, COLLARS and GLOVES.

VALISES, VESTS, Ventilated HATS, Ventilated Rain COATS, WASHING TIES and SCARVES, Waterproof SHEETS and Canvas APRONS, Waist SCARVES, Washing SILK.

YACHTING CAPS and Blue Knitted JERSEYS, ZEPHYR Felt HATS, Zephyr SHIRTS, &c., &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, October 12, 1887. 1901

### Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Office (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,  
Proprietors.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1886. 1912

### W. POWELL & Co.

EX-GLANGERRY.

### FIRST DELIVERIES OF

### AUTUMN AND WINTER DRESS MATERIALS,

Prices from 15 Cents per Yard.

### A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

### CHEAP BALL DRESS MATERIALS.

W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, September 20, 1887.  
(TELEPHONE 21). 1907

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

### NEW HATS

BLACK, DRAB, and BROWN, HARD AND SOFT FELT HATS,

in a variety of New Shapes.

DRAB and GREY SINGLE and DOUBLE TERA HATS.

STRAW HATS, MILITARY and FELT HELMETS, and TWEED HATS and CAPS in Stock and made to order.

Hongkong, October 8, 1887. 1964

### STAG HOTEL,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

J. COOK, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL is CENTRALLY SITUATED and WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING-PLACES.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS. CHARGES MODERATE.

TIFFIN at 1 o'clock. DINNER at 7.30.

WELL VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM. TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.

WINE, SPIRITS and MALT LIQUORS of the VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY.

Hongkong, April 1, 1887. 607

### CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers; Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL SCIENTIFIC and METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGERS' CELEBRATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.

REPAIRS LIQUID and OTHER COMPASSES, ADMIRALTY and IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English SILVER and ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, CHRISTMAS and CO.'S ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS and DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

A Splendid Collection of the Latest London PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

### NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Underigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1458

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

FIRST MORTGAGE OF \$300,000.

### NOTICE.

THE above Company is now prepared to RECEIVE TENDERS for the LOAN to it of \$250,000, to be secured as a First Mortgage, with other sums on the Company's Property.

The Money will be required on the 29th Instant, to remain on Mortgage to the 20th April, 1889, for certain, with the Company's option of retaining it for a further period of 12 months. No Tenders will be entertained at over 6½ per Cent. Interest per annum, and the Company does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

For further information, apply to

L. HAUSCHILD,  
Secretary,  
Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd.  
Hongkong, October 4, 1887. 1943

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are SOLE AGENTS for Hongkong and Manila for the Sale of THE MONTERRAT LIME JUICE.

THE MONTERRAT LIME JUICE, CORDIALS.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.  
Hongkong, May 3, 1887. 864

### NOTICE.

GEO. SMITH, WINE MERCHANT, SHANGHAI.

Agents: NORTON & Co., MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, October 1, 1887. 1918

### JAPAN!

### IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Kuhn & Co. REGS respectfully to announce that in addition to their present STOCK OF JAPANESE WORKS OF ART, they will shortly offer a GRAND ASSORTMENT OF EMBROIDERED SILK AND SATIN GOODS in all its Branches.

Also, A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION OF CLOISONNE, BRONZE, LACQUER, IVORIES, and MANY NOVELTIES of Latest Productions.

CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

50,000 JUBILEE LANTERNS.

On silk or paper at \$4 per 100 and upwards.

NOW ON VIEW opposite the HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, October 3, 1887. 1937

### HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Office, No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD.

### FIRE BRICKS OF SUPERIOR QUALITY FOR SALE.

PRICE, \$30 PER 1,000.

The following Testimonial has been received from F. W. CROSS, Esq., Manager, HONGKONG and CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED:

"I have herewith much pleasure in testifying to the quality of the FIRE BRICKS as made by you at your new works."

"In appearance the Brick is light and soft as compared with the ordinary Fire Brick used in the Colony, but this I may say is characteristic of the best English Fire Brick."

"After a very severe test I have no hesitation in saying that this Brick is admirably suited to resist any degree of heat that it may be likely to undergo and for all purposes that Fire Bricks are used for."

"I am now about to build them into one of my Furnaces and have no doubt of their being able to stand as well as the English Fire Bricks I have been using."

Hongkong, May 23, 1887. 981

### NOTICE.

HER MOST GRACIOUS MAJESTY'S JUBILEE.

IT having been decided to CELEBRATE HER MAJESTY'S JUBILEE on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 9th and 10th November, all MEMBERS of the Community are invited to Co-operate with the JUBILEE COMMITTEE by ILLUMINATING their OFFICES and PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

By Order,  
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
Honorary Secretary.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1887. 1796

### DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist.

(FORMERLY ATTENDED APPRENTICE and LATELY ASSISTANT to Dr. ROGERS.)

At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.

No. 2, DUDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address: 2, DUDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

## Prospectus.

### PRITON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Incorporated in Calcutta under the Indian Companies' Act of 1882. Limiting the Liability of Shareholders to the Amount of their Shares.)

DATE OF FORMATION AS AN UNLIMITED PARTNERSHIP, A.D. 1850.

NOMINAL CAPITAL, Rs. 22,50,000.

FIRST ISSUE 18,000 Shares of Rs. 100. Rs. 25 being paid-up, viz.:—

Rs. 5 on Application, and Rs. 20 on Allotment.

APPLICATION FOR SHARES will be received in Calcutta and London, and at the Branch Agencies of the Old Company.

General Agents: Messrs. JARDINE, SKINNER & Co., CALCUTTA.

PROSPECTUS can be seen, and Application Form for Shares obtained of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 20, 1887. 1910

## Shipping.

### STEAMERS.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship *Arcturion* will leave for the above places on TUESDAY, 18th Inst., at 3 p.m.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, October 13, 1887. 1908

### THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Arcturion*, J. S. HOGG, Commander, will be dispatched as above on or about the 18th October.

This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 1







Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt  
Flats: 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shameen:  
3 hrs. 45 mins.



